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For : USE OF 5-SUBSTITUTED NUCLEOSIDES FOR REINFORCING THE  
APOPTOTIC EFFECT OF CYTOSTATIC DRUGS**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated July 2, 2007, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of record are requested. Inasmuch as the three-month shortened statutory period was set in the Office Action to expire on October 2, 2007, Applicants hereby request an extension of time of one month and are concurrently filing a formal Request for Extension of Time, together with all requisite fees therefor. If for any reason the formal Request for Extension of Time is not associated with the file at the Patent and Trademark Office or the extension fee is deficient, this should be considered to be an express request for any necessary extension of time and authorization to charge any necessary extension of time fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.